GraDED: A graph based parametric dictionary learning algorithm for event detection

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Events (Fire at a street corner)





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Events (Car accidents > fire)























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Event detection

Event detection from videos

Temporal localization

(In how many frames the event happened?)

Spatial localization

(location of the event in each frame)





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Challenges

- Dynamic background videos
 (Car-mounted camera, hand-held camera)
- Illumination/Intensity variation
- Camera jitter

(Gait motion, motion of cars on uneven surface)

• No actual object to track (Fire, no shape prior)

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Subspace based approach Columns as basis vectors Coefficient Vector, x Zero Nonzero $y \in \text{span}\{2^{nd}, 3^{rd}, 6^{th}, 8^{th}\}$ Input feature Vector, y

Subspaces → noise removal, minor illumination variation removal, low-dimensional representation





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Block-based dictionary

$$(D^*, X^*) = \min_{D, X} ||Y - DX||_F^2 \text{ s.t. } ||X||_0 \le T.$$

In our case,

$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{bmatrix} D_1 & D_2 & \cdots & D_P \end{bmatrix}$$

P = total number of partitions of each frame

Number of blocks, P = 4Number of frames, K = 5

 $B^{i} = i^{th} \text{ feature sub-volume}$ $B^{i} = \left[B_{1}^{i} B_{2}^{i} \cdots B_{K}^{i}\right]^{T} \in \mathbb{R}^{K \times S}$

 $B_j^i = S$ -dimensional feature (i^{th} block, j^{th} frame)

Feature = HOG features with a cell size 16×16





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Block-based dictionary







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Our contribution

Temporal dynamics of the event

 $\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{i}} = \boldsymbol{U}_{i}^{T} \boldsymbol{\chi}_{i}$

(Graph between consecutive frames of *i*th subvolume)

Noise removal (PCA, sparse

approximation of coefficients)





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PCA of Bⁱ



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Block graph



Linear graph of 2nd blocks



Number of blocks = P Number of frames = K Number of free parameters = Number of weights in all P graphs = P(K-1)

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Graph basics



Normalized symmetric Laplacian, $\tilde{L} = D^{\frac{-1}{2}}LD^{\frac{-1}{2}}$

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Eigenmatrix of graph Laplacian

$$\label{eq:Li} \begin{split} L_i = U_i \Lambda_i U_i^T & \text{It belongs to O(K),} \\ \text{Distance-preserving} \\ \text{transformation/modulation} & \text{Precomputed and} \\ D_i = U_i^T \chi_i & \text{Precomputed and} \\ \end{split}$$

Intra-block mutual coherence is kept intact : $\mu_i (U_i^T \chi_i, U_i^T \chi_i) = \mu_i (\chi_i, U * U_i^T \chi_i) = \mu_i (\chi_i, \chi_i)$



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Dictionary learning algorithm

$$(D^*, X^*) = \min_{D,X} ||Y - DX||_F^2 \text{ s.t. } ||X||_0 \leq T.$$

$$\text{Index Alternating minimization}$$

$$\text{Update X:}$$

$$\text{Update D, keeping X fixed}$$

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Gradient descent





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Flow chart for gradient descent







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Spatial localization

Dictionary, D



Hierarchical clustering

Total number of final clusters = 2.

Event and no-event clusters

Linkage: Unweighted average distance

Feature similarity: mutual coherence



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Temporal localization (P=4, K=5)



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Dataset

Disappearance of boat

Explosion at gas station









Frames: 75

Frames: 69 Frames: 77 Frame dim: 378×281 Frame dim: 632×342 Frame dim: 422×208





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Comparison with state-of-the-arts

Comparative results



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Result on parameter selection



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